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**Box Amendment**

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In re application of: GUNJI et al.  
 Application. No.: 10/716,470  
 Filing Date: November 20, 2003  
 Atty. Docket No. US-103  
 Title: Method for Producing L-Lysine or L-Arginine by Using  
 Methanol-Assimilating Bacterium

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. Please find enclosed:

- Amendment and Request for Reconsideration: 14 pages.
- Petition for Extension of time from the Office Action, mailed September 26, 2006, three months to March 26, 2007: 1 page.
- Information Disclosure Statement:        pages.
- PTO-1449:        pages.  
cited references.
- PTO-2038 Credit Card Payment Form (fee calculated as shown below):        pages.
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